PRESIDENT: Senator Kelly.

SENATOR KELLY: Mr. President, members of the Legislature. As the bill was originally written these pilot programs could be established only in the metropolitan area of Sarpy or Hall County. There will be no impact, that I can understand, different if competition and the ability of the Department of Education would be to select Dodge County, Adams County, Scottsbluff County or Lincoln County. This just makes it a little easier, and gives a little flexibility to where those pilot programs could be. Obviously the tremendous advantages of Grand Island will win anyway. Therefore, I support Senator Nichol's amendment.

PRESIDENT: There is no close, is there Senator? Do you want to close, Senator Nichol?

SENATOR NICHOL: No, I think they understand.

PRESIDENT: Alright. The question is the adoption of ... no, the motion to return. Is that correct, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Motion is to return the bill to Select File for the specific amendment.

PRESIDENT: Yes. Record your vote. Please vote. Have you all voted? Record.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 2 nays.

PRESIDENT: The bill is returned, Senator Nichol.

CLERK: Now, Mr. President, the motion is the adoption of the specific amendment.

PRESIDENT: Senator Nichol.

SENATOR NICHOL: I've just explained it so I think we can go ahead and vote.

PRESIDENT: Senator Nichol moves that the amendment be adopted. Record your vote. Record.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 1 nay.

PRESIDENT: Senator Cullan, readvance the bill.

SENATOR CULLAN: Mr. Chairman, members of the Legislature. I move to advance LB 389 to E & R for engrossment.

PRESIDENT: All in favor say aye. Contrary say may. The bill is advanced.

CLERK: (Read LR 13 found on pages 588 and 589 of the Journal). Mr. President, Committee on Committee Report. There are three of them which will be inserted in the Journal. Mr. President, I move to return LB 179A to Select File for a specific amendment. (Read Goodrich amendment found on pages 594 and 595 of the Journal). He asks to lay it over.

PRESIDENT: While the Legislature is in session and capable of transacting business I propose to sign and do hereby sign LR 12.